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<b>QUERY CONTROL FORM</b>		<b>RTIS USE ONLY</b>	
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(1) Improper Dependency: Org. claim 56  
 depends upon itself.  
 Please resolve.  
 (2) Original claim 53 (now claim 49) is missing  
 from claim pages dated 11/25/03.  
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**CLAIMS**

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**RESPONSE**

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52 (New): The valve according to claim 50, wherein the wiper portion is in curved contact with the valve stem.

~~ORIGINAL CLAIM 53 (AND LAYER 49) IS MISSING~~

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54 (New): The valve according to claim 50, wherein the sealing surface and the wiping surface have rounded edges.

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55 (New): The valve according to claim 50, wherein the seal and wiper are spaced apart by a layer of supporting rigid material.

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56 (New): The valve according to claim 56, wherein the rigid material is selected from the group consisting of polybutylterephthalate, polyoxymethylene, a metal and nylon.

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57 (New): The valve according to claim 50, wherein the sealing ring comprises a first wiper and a second wiper.

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58 (New): The valve according to claim 58, wherein the sealing ring comprises an elastomeric material.

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59 (New): A drug product comprising:

an aerosol container in communication with  
a valve according to claim 50.

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Claim 60 (New): The drug product according to claim 59, further comprising a suspension of medicament in a propellant contained within the aerosol container.

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Claim 61 (New): The drug product according to claim 60, wherein the propellant is liquefied HFA134a or HFA-227 or mixtures thereof.

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Claim 62 (New): The drug product according to claim 60, wherein the medicament is selected from the group consisting of albuterol, salmeterol, fluticasone, beclomethasone, salts, esters or solvates thereof, and combinations thereof.